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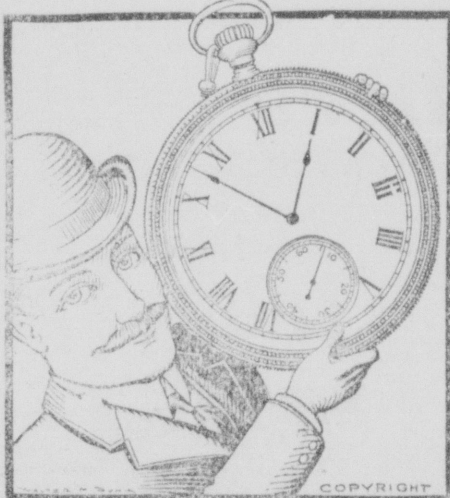
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Concedes to Demands of France--
Conspiracy in Arizona to Admit
Chinese--Arrests Made.

Special to THE TELEGRAPH:

CONSTANTINOPLE, Turkey, Aug. 24.—The Quay Company question has been settled as expected in accordance with the desire of France and an imperial oracle has been issued ordering that the company shall be allowed to exercise freely all rights granted by the concessions.

Government Officials Unearth Conspiracy.

Special to THE TELEGRAPH.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.—The Treasury officials have unearthed a wide conspiracy in Nogales, Arizona Territory, to admit Chinese to the United States. The collector at Nogales, Wm. M. Hoey, and deputy and Chinese Inspector B. F. Jossey, Frank How and another Chinaman have been arrested and other arrests are to follow.

A Night Attack.

Francis Coffey and family are camping on Boyer's Island where quiet is supposed to reign at night. Last night however, the midnight stillness was suddenly broken by a succession of sharp explosions close to the tent and from all sides. Frank got up so suddenly that he forgot to awake and consequently looked the wrong place for his clothes. Hastening outside he executed a war dance, or perhaps it might be called a skirt dance, around four dusky figures whom he chased about the island hatchet in hand.

Barefooted he chased over uncertain ground to the music of the discharge of blank cartridges until he recognized in his assailants four friends whom he led to the kitchen tent and endeavored to quiet with a good lunch.

In the mean time excitement reigned in other quarters for Officer Ball, hearing the report of guns apparently on the south side hurried over and going as far east at the Watson-Plummer factory found to his surprise that the noise came from the north side. Again he hastened across the bridge as fast as two legs carry him only to be dismayed again in his inability to locate the mysterious disturbance. He explained his trouble to Chief Woodysatt this morning but that officer had a previous tip and enjoyed the joke with the rest.

Picnic at Daniel Shuck Home.

Sterling and Dixon friends to the number of forty or more picnicked at the Daniel Shuck home in Palmyra yesterday. It was an all day affair and particularly enjoyable in that the guests were all old friends of the Lutheran congregations. Reverends Fleck of Sterling and Dornblaser of Dixon were present with their wives. The oldest person present was "Grandma" Sox of Sterling, 87 years of age. Both dinner and supper were served to the assemblage by the ladies of the Shuck household, whose skill in the culinary art is not behind that of others of the Palmyra ladies, whose work in that line is justly celebrated.

Girl Intoxicated, Etc.

A young woman quite intoxicated was the cynosure of all eyes Thursday night on one of Dixon's streets.

Two women indulged in an altercation in the "bloody third" ward this morning. A mean man who peeked through a knothole in the back fence says that the fight was a draw. They made up in speed what they lacked in science. Woman is gradually appropriating all of man's little meannesses

Mendota Woodmen Will Come.

A committee of the Woodmen, consisting of A. B. Green, Andrew Hoffman, Theo. Etzbach and E. H. Kingery visited Dixon Monday to look at Assembly Park with a view of holding the picnic of Mendota Camp there September 11th. They were well impressed with the place, and the camp on Tuesday ratified their choice. More particulars will be given next week. The round trip will only be 60 cents. —Mendota Reporter.

A Long Drive.

Jacob May and nephew, Wm. May, arrived in the city yesterday for a visit of several weeks with Dixon relatives. They drove overland from Mt. Vernon, Ia., to see the country, starting Wednesday.

SERIOUSLY INJURED.

Samuel Gaffey Jumps from a Height
Onto Pitchfork Handle.

Yesterday afternoon Samuel Gaffey, living west of Woosung, went to the barn to throw down some hay. Having completed the work, he went to the haymow door, through which he had thrown the hay outside, and threw down the pitchfork. He jumped down about 12 feet upon the pile of hay, and in some manner struck the fork handle, which stood upright. A long gash was cut and his abdomen was badly bruised. His suffering was intense until Dr. A. L. Miller could be called and the wounds dressed. He is resting easier today, though still in considerable pain.

It will be remembered that Mr. Gaffey was operated upon for appendicitis some time ago and the present wound is upon the old wound of the operation.

Mr. Gaffey seems quite unfortunate, for two years ago he sustained a bad fall onto the barn floor and was unconscious several days from his injuries.

A September Wedding.

Invitations have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Judd to the marriage of their daughter, Miss Emma May Judd, to Mr. Robert Humphrey of Chicago. The ceremony will occur at high noon on Thursday, September 5, at the Judd home on Crawford avenue. Mr. Humphrey is a promising Chicago attorney well known in this city, having visited here a number of times. Miss Judd is a graduate of the Dixon High School and has spent the greater part of her life here.

They will be at home at Wilmette, Ill., immediately after the wedding, Mr. Humphrey having furnished a handsome dwelling at that suburb of Chicago.

Jerry Glessner Injured.

While standing on the stone steps at Miss Geisenheimer's store this morning, Jerry Glessner was seized with a fainting spell and sank to the sidewalk. He soon recovered, but in a few minutes again fell to the sidewalk, bruising his head and cutting a gash on the back of his left hand. He was inseparable some five minutes but was finally brought to consciousness. A conveyance was called by Fred Smith and Mr. Glessner taken to his home near Assembly Park.

Mission Festival at Assembly Park Tomorrow.

The annual mission festival of the German Lutheran church will be held at Assembly Park tomorrow. Four prominent speakers will be present and several choirs from neighboring cities will furnish music. Morning services will commence at 10:30 and afternoon services at 1:30. No admission fee will be charged and the steamer, "Dixon Belle" will carry passengers for 5 cents a round trip. A cordial invitation is extended to everybody.

On The River.

A party of about twenty-five young people mutually decided to enjoy the pleasures of a boat ride and picnic supper last evening and on the launch Nokomis went to Nokomis Park where the young ladies of the party spread an appetizing supper which was eaten by the light of the moon and campers' lanterns. The remaining hours of the evening were spent upon the river or in exploring Fuller's cave by lantern light. The evening was perfect for a river trip.

A Marine Disaster.

The happy family living under water in the E. M. Bunnell drug store window occasionally experiences trouble. Yesterday one of the large fish bit off the end of the tail of the "water puppy" who for a time made the water salty with his tears. Today the two large fish have been fighting and one has now sought a hiding place beneath protecting stones.

Dixon Council of Women.

The Dixon Council of Women will meet Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. D. H. Law. This will be a special meeting at which a full attendance is desired.

To Franklin Grove.

A wagonette will leave the A. I. Gage hack barn for Franklin Grove campmeeting at 8 a. m. tomorrow. Fifty people can be taken that way. Round trip 50 cents.

New Restaurant.

Andrew M. Smith is making arrangements to start a lunch counter and restaurant in the Whalen building on Depot avenue.

For Saturday....

Fancy Concord Grapes
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MILWAUKEE'S SOLDIERS' HOME.
Visit to the Institution Described by One of Our Readers.
EDITOR OF TELEGRAPH:
In a recent visit to Milwaukee I was my privilege with a party of friends to pay a visit to the Soldiers' Home. It is situated on a forest-crowned hill just west of the city. It is the product of a generous and even lavish expenditure upon the part of the national government for the payment of the debt of gratitude that we owe the men who saved the nation in our great Civil War.
Perhaps the first thought that impresses the visitor is the air of quiet and peace that rests upon the whole place. As one walks up and down the shady grounds and notes everything about him from the same squirrels that play about the feet of the passerby to the calm peace that rests upon the faces of some old veteran, who sits under the trees dreaming perhaps of some of the wildest scenes of human history in which he was once an actor, the words of the Scripture are recalled, "Neither shall they learn war any more." These buildings together with the land cost more than \$700,000. The annual expenditure is \$342,000. The bill of fare for a single week is as follows: Meat, 19,050 pounds; bread, 1,500 pounds; milk, 1,000 gallons; potatoes, 180 bushels; sugar, 1,870 pounds; butter, 1,200 pounds; coffee, 1,035 pounds.
All this is looked upon not as a charity, but as the payment of a just due. We were escorted through several of the buildings by a guide. The dining room has a seating capacity of over 900 at one time. It might be well to state that the Home at present has 2,200 inmates.
When we asked the guide if we might visit the hospital where 200 sick soldiers are treated, he shook his head and said, visitors were not allowed there unless they had relatives among the inmates. As we did not have the honor to claim any of the sick men as relatives, the question naturally arose how we were to gain admittance, but we could do no more than fail. At the door we were met by an old colored soldier, we explained to him that the ladies were interested in hospital work and would like to see the manner in which the sick soldiers were cared for. He bade us be seated while he called the head nurse. In a short time she appeared and her kindly face and gentle ways betokened the noble character within. The Home has been fortunate in securing such a woman to take charge of this work. We visited several wards where the sick soldiers are kept, some of them are able to be up and around, while others are confined to their beds. Fifteen women nurses are in attendance here. Everything that is possible to do is done for these sick soldiers. But with all the care given them, an average of one every two days passes away.
As we pass out of the grounds our eyes linger upon the scene we have left behind. The long and weary marches of these men are over, the last camp fire has been lighted, night is coming, and soon, ah too soon the last bugle call will have sounded and these comrades will answer the roll call of the Great Commander and cross to that Better Land, where war is never known.
HERMAN.

Property Transfers.
Lott Dimon to J. H. Harnish lot 8 blk 6, Parson's Add Dixon—\$1350.
Wm. McKerrill to M. L. Fitzgerald pt sw pt sept ne pt nw 6—Sublette—\$1400.
Geo. W. Smith to E. H. Brewster pt lot 5 blk 37, North Dixon—\$1050.
M. C. Weyburn to A. B. Spell pt nw 32, Dixon—\$150.
A. M. Judd to E. R. Mix pt lot 6 blk 53, N. Dixon—\$3200.
Wm. and Robt Moffatt to T. M. May pt sw 9 Wyoming—\$1.00.
Thos. Gratty to Chas. Shafer pt sw 22 East Grove—\$1000.
Elizabeth Bieber to Geo. Bieber lots 5 and 6 blk 1, Sublette.

Brings a Bride.
Franklin Reporter: Louis A. Mahoney and Miss Florence Holmes were united in marriage at the home of the bride near Aurora, last Wednesday, Aug. 21st. They arrived at this place Wednesday evening and are now quartered at the L. Raffensbarger home. Mr. Mahoney is the gentleman engaged as principal of our public school for the coming year and we bespeak for himself and bride a cordial welcome among our people.

Corn vs. Whiskey.
Perhaps 'tis better thus. Genesee will escape drinking whiskey made from this year's corn.—Genesee News.
Perhaps not. The greatest whiskey making year Illinois ever experienced was when the corn crop was ruined for everything else but to manufacture into whiskey. The corn was rotten but it made what the toppers call good whiskey.

—Miss Ella Kelsey left last evening for Calhoun county, Ia., where she will visit with relatives for two weeks.
—Jos. Petersberger and wife are home. Mrs. Petersberger and children have been in Chicago, while Joe was east buying goods.

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CANNON BALL ENDS DISPUTE.
Discovery on Battle Island Shows Where Black Hawk Stood.
St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 22.—A cannon ball has been dug up on Battle Island, in the Mississippi river, which locates without a doubt the position, heretofore unknown and often disputed, where Chief Black Hawk during the last days of the famous Black Hawk war stood with his outpost, attempting to display the flag of truce to the steamer Warrior, which returned the request for mercy with a fusillade and cannon fire that killed twenty-three of the reds.
The ball was imbedded in the ground at the point of an island opposite the pavilion on the Battle Island assembly and on a prominent hill where the misguided Indians perched themselves so their flag of truce could be more easily seen.
It was in 1832, Aug. 1, and Black Hawk, after warring for some time, had been chased across Illinois up into Wisconsin to this point, his then small band being repeatedly refused the right to display the flag, and the United States soldiers hotly pursuing them in overwhelming numbers. When they reached the river Black Hawk took a white flag and went to the water's edge to surrender to the Warrior, that was coming up the river from Fort Crawford. As soon as the boat crew discovered his identity they fired upon him, and although Black Hawk escaped, his outpost, twenty-three in number, were slain.

From Polo Visitor:
Elmer Fahrney of Dixon visited with Al. Fahrney and family this week.
Miss Kittle Peacock of Dixon visited here with Miss Mabel Keator, Wednesday.
Miss Grace Smith of Mt. Carroll has been holding services at the new Dillon chapel in Pine Creek this week.
Sunday morning as Geo. Watts was leading a horse out of the stable a colt reared up, knocking him against the horse and breaking his right arm at the elbow.
Prof. Sanders has gone to Rockford this week for a vacation and we understand when he returns he will bring a young married lady with him. May prosperity and joy attend them.

—On Friday, August 30, the Nebraska Indians play ball at Pawpaw.
—Geo. H. T. Shaw was in Iowa on business yesterday and will be back today.
—Miss Lorna Dement has returned from her trip to Buffalo and the Exposition.
—Robert D. McCoy, a Polo land agent is here from a trip with a party of home seekers to Iowa.
—Misses Esther Patterson and Ann Price returned to Sterling last night after a short stay in the city.
—Next Thursday evening is the time set for the lawn fete at the Mrs. R. D. Bowles home by the S. W. S.
—Manager W. S. Gray and Walter Missman of the C. U. Telephone Co. were in Compton yesterday on business.

—R. F. Yates has resigned his position at the Grand Detour Plow Factory to take up the work of selling acetelene gas plants.
—Myron Dillonbeck of Morrison was here yesterday visiting with Fire Marshal Geo. Dietrick while on his way home from an eastern trip.
—Mr. and Mrs. Bert Pritzberg a recently married couple returned to their home at Sycamore yesterday after a visit at the Carlton Cropsey home in North Dixon.
—Next Wednesday the Old Settlers' association of Stephenson county will hold their thirty-second annual reunion at the Eliza Clingman grove, a quarter of a mile northeast of Cedarville.

—In the current number of the Western Fireman, Editor T. E. Smith gives a complete account of the Firemen's tournament held in Dixon, which he considers one of the most harmonious and successful ever held and takes occasion to compliment our city for the manner in which affairs were handled.

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Clothing Department.
Negligee \$2 shirts 75c, and \$1 grade for 39 and 45 cents
Boys' shirt waists for.....19 cents
Boys' shirt waists 50 and 75 kind for.....39 cents
Boys 50 and 75c hats and caps for.....25 cents
Men's summer underwear \$1 and \$1.25 French bal-brigan quality for.....75c a suit
75c underwear for.....50c a suit
Men's hats latest style \$3 grade for \$2.25, \$2.50 grade for \$1.95, \$2 grade for \$1.50, \$1.25 and \$1.50 grade for \$1.

Dry Goods Department.
Wind up of our 20 per cent discount sale on Ladies' Suits and Skirts—Sale lasts this week only.
Ladies' \$1 and \$1.25 quality house wrappers this week at.....89 cents
15 and 20c colored silk and satin ribbons on sale at.....10c per yd
12 1/2c quality 36 inch wide silkoline sale price.....9 cents per yd
25c value 36 inch wool cashmere, sale price.....19 cents per yd
New silk and satin waists at our popular prices. Ladies' white and colored shirt waists at prices cut to half.
Our 5c bargain counter is replenished with goods worth up to.....15 cents
Our 10c bargain counter is loaded down with items that cost up to.....25 cents
1c lot of 40c perfume triple extracts, sale price.....25c ounce
5c satin palm leaf fans at.....1 cent each
Special prices on ladies' shopping bags. Reduced prices on Ladies' and Misses Macintoshes.

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Celery and Kela Nerveine \$1.00 size for.....69 cents
Mrs. Dr. Brown's successful prescription \$1.00 size for.....69 cents
Beef Iron and Wine \$1.00 size for.....69 cents
Compound Extract of Sarsaparilla \$1.00 size for.....69 cents
Laxative Fig Syrup 25c size for.....15 cents
Popular Penny Royal Pills 50c size for.....38 cents
5 Sedilitz Powders, warranted pure, for.....10c
Lavender Cold Cream.....10c
15c box Vaseline.....10c
15c box best Talcum Powder.....12c
1/2 pint bottle double distilled Witch Hazel, per bottle.....10c

Shoe Department.
August Special Sales.—A line of Men's Vici Kid, button and lace, black or colored, \$3.00 and \$3.50; Hand-sewed Goodyear Welt Shoes for \$2.45; Ladies' and Gents' Swell Patent Leather High and Low Shoes, in Queen's quality cloth or leather top, \$3.00 grade for \$1.95 and \$2.45; Ladies' fine dress low and high shoes, \$2.00 and \$2.25 grade for \$1.47. Ladies' Light Dongola Low and High Shoes, with light or heavy extension soles, the kind you have been paying \$1.50 and \$1.75 for, here in all styles at \$1.09 and \$1.25; Men's Extra Good Shoes, four styles, all solid, at \$1.50; Boy's Shoes in Satin Calf, sizes 2 1/2 to 5 1/2, sale price \$1.35.
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Boys' shirt waists for.....19 cents
Boys' shirt waists 50 and 75 kind for.....39 cents
Boys 50 and 75c hats and caps for.....25 cents
Men's summer underwear \$1 and \$1.25 French bal-brigan quality for.....75c a suit
75c underwear for.....50c a suit
Men's hats latest style \$3 grade for \$2.25, \$2.50 grade for \$1.95, \$2 grade for \$1.50, \$1.25 and \$1.50 grade for \$1.

Dry Goods Department.
Wind up of our 20 per cent discount sale on Ladies' Suits and Skirts—Sale lasts this week only.
Ladies' \$1 and \$1.25 quality house wrappers this week at.....89 cents
15 and 20c colored silk and satin ribbons on sale at.....10c per yd
12 1/2c quality 36 inch wide silkoline sale price.....9 cents per yd
25c value 36 inch wool cashmere, sale price.....19 cents per yd
New silk and satin waists at our popular prices. Ladies' white and colored shirt waists at prices cut to half.
Our 5c bargain counter is replenished with goods worth up to.....15 cents
Our 10c bargain counter is loaded down with items that cost up to.....25 cents
1c lot of 40c perfume triple extracts, sale price.....25c ounce
5c satin palm leaf fans at.....1 cent each
Special prices on ladies' shopping bags. Reduced prices on Ladies' and Misses Macintoshes.

Drug Department
Celery and Kela Nerveine \$1.00 size for.....69 cents
Mrs. Dr. Brown's successful prescription \$1.00 size for.....69 cents
Beef Iron and Wine \$1.00 size for.....69 cents
Compound Extract of Sarsaparilla \$1.00 size for.....69 cents
Laxative Fig Syrup 25c size for.....15 cents
Popular Penny Royal Pills 50c size for.....38 cents
5 Sedilitz Powders, warranted pure, for.....10c
Lavender Cold Cream.....10c
15c box Vaseline.....10c
15c box best Talcum Powder.....12c
1/2 pint bottle double distilled Witch Hazel, per bottle.....10c

Shoe Department.
August Special Sales.—A line of Men's Vici Kid, button and lace, black or colored, \$3.00 and \$3.50; Hand-sewed Goodyear Welt Shoes for \$2.45; Ladies' and Gents' Swell Patent Leather High and Low Shoes, in Queen's quality cloth or leather top, \$3.00 grade for \$1.95 and \$2.45; Ladies' fine dress low and high shoes, \$2.00 and \$2.25 grade for \$1.47. Ladies' Light Dongola Low and High Shoes, with light or heavy extension soles, the kind you have been paying \$1.50 and \$1.75 for, here in all styles at \$1.09 and \$1.25; Men's Extra Good Shoes, four styles, all solid, at \$1.50; Boy's Shoes in Satin Calf, sizes 2 1/2 to 5 1/2, sale price \$1.35.
You will always find goods as advertised at our store. Your money back if not satisfied with your purchase. We are giving our own trading coupons with everything we sell. Get a book and secure some of the good premiums FREE.

RAILROAD TIME TABLE
GOING NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY
LAST BOUND. WEST BOUND.
No. 1...3:02 am... No. 13...10:17 am...
No. 3...4:50 am... No. 5...12:22 pm...
No. 15...5:58 am... No. 7...3:45 pm...
No. 9...7:08 am... No. 17...7:02 pm...
No. 10...7:22 am... No. 11...7:50 pm...
No. 12...10:14 am... No. 1...8:53 pm...
No. 14...3:50 pm... No. 25...9:57 pm...
No. 4...6:02 pm... No. 3...2:37 am...
No. 18 Sunday only 5:15 pm
Freight train No. 134 at 9:10 a. m. Carry passengers between Sterling and Rochelle.
Freight train No. 116 at 8:20 p. m. Carry passengers between Clinton and DeKalb.
Freight train No. 131 West Bound at 9:15 a. m. will carry passengers between Franklin Grove and Clinton on Sunday only.
Daily.
Daily except Sunday.
F. L. MURRAY, Agent.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD.
SOUTH BOUND. NORTH BOUND.
Local Mail 2:35 a. m. Through Ex. 10:18 a. m.
So. Express 10:22 a. m. Local Mail 5:40 p. m.
Dedatur Pa. 4:52 p. m. Local Pass. 9:46 p. m.
Am. Freight 10:18 a. m. Local Freight 2:10 p. m.
L. BACKUS, Agent.

WEATHER REPORT.
For the week commencing August 18, 1901

	Max.	Min.	Prev.
Sunday	83	66	.41
Monday	87	67	—
Tuesday	81	60	—
Wednesday	84	64	—
Thursday	92	69	.06
Friday	85	64	—
Saturday	—	57	—

THE WEATHER.
The following is the weather forecast telegraphed us at 9:50 o'clock a. m. today from the government observatory at Chicago.
Generally fair tonight and probably Sunday.

Mackinac Island
and RETURN—7 days trip—\$25.
Meals and berth included.
Leave Chicago Saturday 8:20 p. m.
Escanaba, Mich.
and RETURN—4 days trip—\$13.
Meals and berth included.
Leave Chicago Tues., Wed., Fri., & Sat., at 8 p. m.
Muskegon or Grand Haven
and RETURN \$5.
Berth included.
Leave Chicago 7:45 p. m., daily.
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25 CENTS
166 ADAMS ST. CHICAGO.

HARKEN YE

To the Voice of Dixon People.

If you will but listen to your friends and neighbors they will tell you how the pains and aches of a bad back, the restlessness which comes from kidney ills can be relieved and cured. Read what one Dixon citizen says:

Mrs. M. E. Turney, of 315 Peoria avenue, says: "Ordinary language fails to express what I suffered from kidney complaint. The pain in my back and loins at times was so bad that I could not perform the slightest duty. This with other symptoms left no doubt in my mind that my kidneys were badly affected. I procured Doan's Kidney Pills at Leake Bros.' Drug Store, and took a course of the treatment. It cured me. This is over three years ago and I have not had any occasion to resort to Doan's Kidney Pills or any other medicine for kidney complaint during that period. I have on more than one occasion recommended Doan's Kidney Pills to friends and acquaintances.

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no substitute.

Question Answered.

Yes, August Flower still has the largest sale of any medicine in the civilized world. Your mothers' and grandmothers' never thought of using anything else for indigestion or biliousness. Doctors were scarce, and they seldom heard of Appendicitis, Nervous Prostration or Heart failure, etc. They used August Flower to clean out the system and stop fermentation of undigested food, regulate the action of the liver, stimulate nervous and organic action of the system, and that is all they took when feeling dull and bad with headaches and other aches. You only need a few doses of Green's August Flower, in liquid form, to make you satisfied there is nothing serious the matter with you. Get Green's Prize Almanac. E. M. Bunnell Co.

Low Rates to Buffalo Pan-American.

The Nickel Plate Road are selling tickets at exceptionally low rates to Buffalo and return, good for 10, 15 and 30 days. For particulars and Pan-American folder of buildings and grounds, write John Y. Calahan, General Agent 111 Adams St., Chicago. City Ticket Office 111 Adams St.

Cures Blood Poison—Treatment Free.

Blood poison is the worst disease on earth yet the easiest to cure when B. B. (Botanic Blood Balm) is used. Many have pimples, spots on the skin, ulcers, mucous patches, falling hair, itching skin, bone pains, festering sores, scrofula, scabs and scales, cancer, and don't know it is blood poison. Get Botanic Blood Balm (B. B. B.). A few bottles guaranteed to cure the worst cases. Sold at drug stores. Treatment of B. B. B. sent free and prepaid by writing to Blood Balm Co., Atlanta, Ga. Describe the trouble and free medical advice given until cured. B. B. B. thoroughly tested for 30 years. Cures when all else fails. B. B. B. makes the blood pure and rich, heals every sore, and stops all aches and pains. B. B. B. improves the digestion. Sold by Kelly, the druggist.

A Minister's Good Work.

"I had a severe attack of bilious colic got a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, took two doses and was entirely cured," says Rev. A. A. Power, of Emporia, Kan. "My neighbor across the street was sick for over a week, had two or three bottles of medicine from the doctor. He used them for three or four days without relief, then called in another doctor who treated him for some days and gave him no relief, so discharged him. I went over to see him the next morning. He said his bowels were in a terrible fix, that they had been running off so long that it was almost bloody flux. I asked him if he had tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and he said, 'No.' I went home and brought him my bottle and gave him one dose; told him to take another dose in fifteen or twenty minutes if he did not find relief, but he took no more and was entirely cured." For sale by Rowland Bros.

\$13.00 to Buffalo; Pan-American and Return \$13.00.

Tickets on sale daily via the Nickel Plate Road, good returning ten days from date of sale. Especially low rates for 15 and 30 day limit Chicago to Buffalo and return. Tickets at lowest rates to all points east. John Y. Calahan, General Agent, 111 Adams St., Chicago. Chicago City Ticket Office 111 Adams St.

Very Low Rates to K. T. Conclave at Louisville, Ky.,

Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold at one fare for round trip, August 24 to 26, inclusive, limited to return September 2, with extension until September 16, inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

TWO LITTLE WORDS

Left Out of a Legislative Enactment by Engrossers Makes It Invalid.

DRAINAGE CANAL CASES GO OVER

Scientists Not Ready to Report—Governor's Trip to the "Pan"—That Taylor Boy.

Springfield, Ills., Aug. 24.—As occasions arise for the enforcement of the laws passed by the general assembly the errors made during the closing hours of that body, one by one, come to light. The latest defect discovered is in the act which was designed to amend the statute regarding the annexing and excluding of territory to and from cities, towns and villages. Through an error made in enrolling the bill the purpose of the measure was defeated. Its purpose was to prevent the annexation of territory to municipalities in instances where large property interests objected to such annexation. It promised that the question of annexation should be submitted to vote only on petition of a majority of the voters and the owners of a majority of the property "in value." In enrolling the bill the words "in value" were omitted and the object sought to be accomplished was lost.

Chicago Drainage Cases Postponed. Springfield, Ills., Aug. 24.—It has been practically decided that no action will be taken in the matter of receiving testimony in the Chicago drainage case until after the 1st of October. It was the original intention to commence taking depositions, etc., this month, but the bacteriologists, sanitary experts and others who have been making observations and collecting data for use in the case are still at work and both sides agree that the observations of the scientific men should be continued for some time, certainly through the month of September.

Trip to the Pan-American. Springfield, Ills., Aug. 24.—Governor Yates and staff will travel to the Pan-American exposition on a special train over the Lake Shore railroad. The staff will meet in Chicago Sept. 11 and will leave for Buffalo at 5:30 o'clock that evening.

New Board of Dental Examiners. Springfield, Ills., Aug. 24.—The members of the new state board of dental examiners, in response to a call from Dr. James G. Reid, of Chicago, met at the Leland hotel last evening and organized by electing the following officers: Dr. T. W. Pritchett, Whitehall, president; Dr. James G. Reid, Chicago, secretary-treasurer to succeed himself. The members of the board then formulated plans of action against dental diploma mills.

GETS HIS CHILD BACK ONCE MORE.

Latest Chapter in the Struggle Between Mrs. Faris and ex-Husband.

Mattoon, Ills., Aug. 24.—The sequel to the abduction of Lewis Taylor's 4-year-old son, George Washington, by his former wife, Mrs. James Faris, occurred Wednesday afternoon when, armed with a writ of habeas corpus, the Edgar county sheriff captured the child. Mrs. Faris kidnapped her child several days ago near Oakland, while her present husband threatened Taylor with a revolver.

The kidnapers escaped with the child in a buggy. Taylor came to Paris, where the Faris couple reside, swore out a writ of habeas corpus, and the officer secured the child while the mother was absent from the house. When divorced Taylor was awarded the child, and he threatens to prosecute his mother and her husband for contempt of court.

Wyoming Likely to Get a Railway.

Peoria, Ills., Aug. 24.—The citizens of Wyoming are working for an extension of the Galesburg and Western railway from Astoria, Knox county, to their town. The road commences at Galesburg, and is ultimately intended to run through to the Illinois river at Henry. The railroad people offer to build to Wyoming if furnished the right-of-way, a station site and \$1,000 for the station. The extension will probably be built.

Gov. Yates to Fly High.

Springfield, Ills., Aug. 24.—Governor Yates has accepted the invitation of Chevalier Bayard Commandery, Knight Templars, of Chicago, to accompany that commandery as its guest to the triennial convocation at Louisville, and with Mrs. Yates, will join the Chicago party today. Governor Yates has been appointed on the staff of the most eminent grand commander, and will ride with him on horseback in the grand parade.

Colored People Honor Lincoln.

Springfield, Ills., Aug. 24.—The members of Shaw Commandery, No. 343, G. A. R., colored, of St. Louis, accompanied by their wives and children, arrived in this city Thursday by special train and proceeded to the national Lincoln monument, where they decorated the sarcophagus with flowers. Lieutenant Willis H. Butler, recently returned from the Philippines, delivered an address.

They Generally Do That Way.

Sibley, Ills., Aug. 24.—Robbers Thursday night entered the office of the Sibley estate, in this village, and blew open the safe, securing many valuable papers and considerable money. The exact amount of the loss cannot be ascertained at present. After securing their booty the robbers escaped without leaving any clue.

Bachelor Weds a Widow.

Rock Falls, Ills., Aug. 24.—After living the lonesome life of a bachelor for over seventy years Dr. John Pullia, of Dement, a wealthy and prominent citizen, has gone into his first matrimonial venture by marrying Mrs. Anna Miller, a "blushing bride" only a few years his junior.

His Accounts Are Somewhat Short.

Rockford, Ills., Aug. 24.—Henry Harris, postmaster at Durand, Ills., has been arrested for a shortage of \$1,900 in his accounts.

STONE IS TO BE SENATOR

From Missouri, so Wetmore Says—Not a Candidate for President.

St. Louis, Aug. 24.—"Ex-Governor Stone is not a candidate for the Democratic presidential nomination in 1904. Ex-Governor Stone is a candidate for



GOVERNOR STONE.

the United States senatorship, and nothing else. You can say that, regardless of all announcements to the contrary, and you can also say that he will be the next United States senator from Missouri. He is the only man in the race having a show of election."

The foregoing was the declaration made by Colonel Moses C. Wetmore to a reporter yesterday at the Planters' hotel. Colonel Wetmore is a close business, political and personal friend of ex-Governor Stone.

NOW YOU DON'T SEE IT

And Now You Do—Cash Situation in the Treasury of Mississippi.

Jackson, Miss., Aug. 24.—State Treasurer Stowers gave out a statement yesterday with regard to the alleged shortage of over \$100,000 in his accounts. Governor Longino counted the cash in the treasury on Aug. 15. He found a shortage of \$10,000.

No publication of the matter was made, but Governor Longino quietly informed Treasurer Stowers that he would return Aug. 20 and make another count, when, he trusted, the funds would all be there.

At this investigation the cash checked up to a cent. It was then up to Stower to make an explanation. The treasurer says that the money was deposited with state banks on good collateral by his cashier and on his authority.

Talk of Church Reorganization.

New York, Aug. 24.—A reorganization of the Episcopal church and the appointment of a president archbishop to have a general supervision over all the dioceses of the church in this country and its possessions are the changes advocated by Rev. Percy S. Grant, rector of the Church of the Ascension of this city.

Just Like So Many Savages.

Williamsburg, Ky., Aug. 24.—News has just reached here of a bloody battle in the eastern part of the county, twenty miles from here, in which Blake Logan, his two sons, and the two Wilson brothers were killed by West Mays and George Golden. The trouble originated over Mays' wife.

Explosion Kills a Woman.

Canby, Minn., Aug. 24.—A steam threshing engine exploded yesterday on the farm of C. L. Christenson, near Porter, Minn., instantly killing Mrs. Christenson and severely injuring her daughter, Yars Christenson, Jr., John Amundson, and one of the assistants at the machine.

Habit That the Turk Has.

Paris, Aug. 24.—A pro-Armenian sheet issued in Paris asserts that the Turks have been looting and murdering in the Sassoun district since the beginning of July, and that several Armenian villages have been wiped out.

THE MARKETS.

Chicago Grain and Produce.

Chicago, Aug. 23. Following were the quotations on the Board of Trade today:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—	7.04	7.04	7.04	7.04
September	7.04	7.04	7.04	7.04
December	7.04	7.04	7.04	7.04
May	7.04	7.04	7.04	7.04
Corn—	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
September	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
December	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
May	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
Oats—	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
September	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
December	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
May	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2

Produce: Butter—Extra creamery, 20c; extra dairy, 18c; packing stock, 12 1/2c. Eggs—Fresh stock, 12 1/2c.

Live Poultry—Chickens, hens, 8c per lb; springs, 10c; ducks, 7c; geese, 7c.

Apples—New, \$2.25@\$3.00 per bri. Potatoes—Ohio, \$1.10@\$1.15.

Chicago Live Stock.

Hogs—Estimated receipts for the day, 22,000; sales ranged, at \$2.25@\$2.25 per pig, \$5.05@\$5.10 for light, \$5.05@\$5.30 for rough packing, \$5.05@\$5.30 for mixed, and \$5.15@\$5.25 for heavy packing and shipping lots; bulk of the sales at \$5.30@\$5.35.

Cattle—Estimated receipts for the day, 2,500; quotations ranged at \$5.80@\$6.35 for choice to extra steers, \$5.30@\$5.35 for good to choice do., \$4.60@\$5.25 for fair to good do., \$4.00@\$4.75 common to medium do., \$3.60@\$4.00 butchers' steers, \$4.40@\$6.00 fed western steers, \$2.20@\$4.30 stockers and feeders, \$1.50@\$4.50 cows, \$2.60@\$5.00 heifers, \$2.50@\$4.50 bullocks and oxen, \$3.75@\$5.00 stags, \$3.30@\$4.85 Texas steers, \$3.75@\$5.00 grass western steers, and \$4.50@\$6.00 veal calves.

Sheep and Lambs—Estimated receipts for the day, 1,000; quotations ranged at \$2.75@\$3.30 western, \$2.50@\$4.00 natives, \$2.40@\$5.25 western lambs, and \$3.00@\$5.30 native lambs.

Milwaukee Grain.

Wheat—Lower, No. 1 northern, 71c; No. 2 northern, 70c; No. 3 northern, 69c; No. 4 northern, 68c; No. 5 northern, 67c; No. 6 northern, 66c; No. 7 northern, 65c; No. 8 northern, 64c; No. 9 northern, 63c; No. 10 northern, 62c; No. 11 northern, 61c; No. 12 northern, 60c; No. 13 northern, 59c; No. 14 northern, 58c; No. 15 northern, 57c; No. 16 northern, 56c; No. 17 northern, 55c; No. 18 northern, 54c; No. 19 northern, 53c; No. 20 northern, 52c; No. 21 northern, 51c; No. 22 northern, 50c; No. 23 northern, 49c; No. 24 northern, 48c; No. 25 northern, 47c; No. 26 northern, 46c; No. 27 northern, 45c; No. 28 northern, 44c; No. 29 northern, 43c; No. 30 northern, 42c; No. 31 northern, 41c; No. 32 northern, 40c; No. 33 northern, 39c; No. 34 northern, 38c; No. 35 northern, 37c; No. 36 northern, 36c; No. 37 northern, 35c; No. 38 northern, 34c; No. 39 northern, 33c; No. 40 northern, 32c; No. 41 northern, 31c; No. 42 northern, 30c; No. 43 northern, 29c; No. 44 northern, 28c; No. 45 northern, 27c; No. 46 northern, 26c; No. 47 northern, 25c; No. 48 northern, 24c; No. 49 northern, 23c; No. 50 northern, 22c; No. 51 northern, 21c; No. 52 northern, 20c; No. 53 northern, 19c; No. 54 northern, 18c; No. 55 northern, 17c; No. 56 northern, 16c; No. 57 northern, 15c; No. 58 northern, 14c; No. 59 northern, 13c; No. 60 northern, 12c; No. 61 northern, 11c; No. 62 northern, 10c; No. 63 northern, 9c; No. 64 northern, 8c; No. 65 northern, 7c; No. 66 northern, 6c; No. 67 northern, 5c; No. 68 northern, 4c; No. 69 northern, 3c; No. 70 northern, 2c; No. 71 northern, 1c; No. 72 northern, 0c; No. 73 northern, 0c; No. 74 northern, 0c; No. 75 northern, 0c; No. 76 northern, 0c; No. 77 northern, 0c; No. 78 northern, 0c; No. 79 northern, 0c; No. 80 northern, 0c; No. 81 northern, 0c; No. 82 northern, 0c; No. 83 northern, 0c; No. 84 northern, 0c; No. 85 northern, 0c; No. 86 northern, 0c; No. 87 northern, 0c; No. 88 northern, 0c; No. 89 northern, 0c; No. 90 northern, 0c; No. 91 northern, 0c; No. 92 northern, 0c; No. 93 northern, 0c; No. 94 northern, 0c; No. 95 northern, 0c; No. 96 northern, 0c; No. 97 northern, 0c; No. 98 northern, 0c; No. 99 northern, 0c; No. 100 northern, 0c.

CAN GO ON GUESSING

Such Contests Are Not Violations of the Anti-Lottery Enactment.

SO HOLDS THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

Says They Require Brains in the Winner and Are Not Like Throwing Dice.

Washington, Aug. 24.—Attorney General Knox has rendered to the postmaster general an opinion on the question whether a certain western daily paper has violated the law prohibiting the use of the mails for advertising lotteries, gift concerts and similar enterprises. The paper some time ago inaugurated a guessing contest, advertising that it would give 1,500 prizes.



PHILANDER C. KNOX.

aggregating \$15,000 in value, to persons making the nearest estimates of the number of paid admissions to the Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo from the day of opening to the day of closing. The attorney general says that unless plainly forbidden by law the remedy is with congress and not with the department.

He Makes a Distinction.

He says the contestants must go into careful inquiry as to the facts about the exposition, public interest, and attendance to date, and continues as follows: "Such estimates, therefore, while necessarily dependent in many respects upon chance, are likewise affected by the intelligent calculations of a thoughtful observer. A fair construction of the words 'dependent upon lot or chance' excludes estimates which are based upon mental calculation, even though the factors which enter into such calculation may be uncertain and matters of conjecture."

Thinks the Newspaper Scheme Legal.

"The drawing of a lot or the throw of the die are purely dependent upon chance, for no mental operation can aid in estimating the result. As penal statutes must be construed strictly I am unable to reach the conclusion that the giving of prizes as a reward for superior intelligence in estimates, where the human intellect is exercised in making such estimates, is within the purview of the statute, and the conclusion cannot be affected by the demoralizing tendencies to which you refer."

DEAD NUMBER TWO SCORE

Only Nineteen Bodies Recovered of Those Gone Down With the Islander.

Vancouver, B. C., Aug. 24.—The steamer Hating arrived in port yesterday bringing the remains of five victims of the Islander disaster. In all nineteen bodies have been recovered, and it is authentically stated that the total number of lives lost was forty. The bodies brought here yesterday were those of Mrs. Ross, wife of Governor Ross, of the Yukon territory, and her infant child; Mrs. Ross, of San Francisco; Dr. Jose A. Dunan, of Victoria, and Captain H. R. Foote, master of the Islander.

Advices from Skagway, of the latest date, state that after some of the bodies were washed ashore, ghoulsh acts were committed by Indians. At that time the coast was not in control of patrolmen, and the bodies cast ashore were temporarily unprotected. As soon as it was discovered in Juneau that the work of robbing the corpses was in progress the United States marshal dispatched a number of deputies to the scene.

Will Fall with the Stock.

Great Falls, Mont., Aug. 24.—As a result of a \$10,000 bet a local contractor, to prove the inferior quality of brick made in a certain yard here, will build a chimney stack six and a half brick square at the base, with a square foot flue. He agrees to continue the stack until it falls and to be on the top when it gives way. If it falls before it is up 300 feet he wins \$10,000, and he has bet an additional \$5,000 that he is not hurt in the collapse.

Closed Incident in the Case.

Washington, Aug. 24.—At the navy department the matter of the service of Admiral Howison on the Schley court of inquiry is considered a closed incident, so far as the department is concerned, and one which will be left to the consideration of the court itself.

International College Contest.

Boston, Mass., Aug. 24.—The Cambridge-Oxford vs. Harvard-Yale return games will take place on Berkeley oval, New York, Sept. 25, at 3 p. m. The British team left for Montreal today.

Sent One Bullet in Right.

Palmyra, Wis., Aug. 24.—Mort Courtright, aged 19 years, yesterday shot his child bride and himself. He will die.

BULLET IN HIS BACK

At the End of Twenty-Five Years It Has Paralyzed Him.

Chicago, Aug. 24.—Twenty-five years ago Desire Reuse was mayor of the city of Marshall, Mich. One day a maniac started out to burn up the town, and set fire to a number of houses. Among them was the Reuse residence. From a place of hiding the crazy incendiary saw Reuse trying to extinguish the blaze, and shot him in the back with a revolver. Reuse is now at the Presbyterian hospital here, a paralytic, awaiting the decision of the surgeons, who are trying to locate the bullet. Whether the removal of the leaden missile will benefit him is a matter of doubt at present in the minds of physicians who are interested in his case.

Reuse is 56 years old and a book-keeper. He was stricken with paralysis on Aug. 12 while going to his work, and upon being taken to the hospital was examined by Dr. Fred D. Hollenbeck and Dr. E. J. Senn. Reuse recounted to the doctors the history of his injury, with the result that they have taken a deep concern in his case.

CHAMPION ROMANCE HERE

Young Couple Have a Quarrel and Part—Reunited and Happy.

Belleville, O., Aug. 24.—The town of Butler, near here, has the champion romance of the season. Five years ago Myrtle Stewart and Logan Hagelbarger were engaged, but they quarreled, and the young man went west to forget her. Long afterward he commenced correspondence with a young woman, through an advertisement in a matrimonial paper. He used an assumed name, and so did she, unknown to him.

Last Saturday Hagelbarger's love had grown to a point where he decided to know his fate, so he telegraphed: "Will you marry me? If so, get ready at once."

Inside of a couple of hours the answer came back: "Very sudden, but accept."

Hagelbarger took the train that night, and on Tuesday he arrived at Butler. On driving to the home of his affianced he was dumfounded to find that she was Myrtle Stewart. Tableaux, wedding march. Original wedding dress utilized.

MENTAL HEALER ARRESTED

Helen Post and Her Husband in Trouble With the Postoffice.

Daytona, Fla., Aug. 24.—Helen Post; her husband, Colonel C. C. Post, and her son-in-law, C. F. Burgman, were arrested yesterday on information sworn to by Postoffice Inspector Fred D. Peer, charging them with using the mails for fraudulent purposes. The three were taken to Jacksonville, where they will have a preliminary hearing before United States commissioner William Archibald this morning.

The offense alleged consisted in sending through the mails circulars professing to cure patients at a distance by means of mental science. Mrs. Post claimed to be able to heal all kinds of diseases, even restoring the blind to sight, holding that no disease was incurable by her method of treatment.

Scores of the Ball Clubs.

Chicago, Aug. 24.—Following are the scores at base ball made by League clubs yesterday: At Boston—Philadelphia 6, Boston 7; at New York—Brooklyn 4, New York 1.

American League: At Boston—Cleveland 1, Boston 5; at Baltimore—Chicago 6, Baltimore 4; at Philadelphia—Detroit 2, Philadelphia 7; at Washington—Rain.

Western Association: At Grand Rapids—Mathews 6, Grand Rapids 1; at Fort Wayne—Wheeling 4, Fort Wayne 0; at Columbus—Dayton 3, Columbus 2; at Toledo—Toledo 2, Marlon 1.

Another Mob Is Stood Off.

Lebanon, Ky., Aug. 24.—An unsuccessful attempt was made early yesterday morning to lynch Dan Hotten and Charles Shipp, who are confined in the Marion county jail charged with murder. A mob went to the jail and began to batter the doors when Officer Brent, who was secreted in a coal shed near by, opened fire upon it. The mob returned the fire, but no one was hit. It then dispersed.

National Firemen's Association.

Buffalo, Aug. 24.—The National Firemen's association held a brief convention here Thursday. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, George C. Hale, chief of the Kansas city fire department; secretary, D. W. Gillen, of Chicago.

They Weren't Out for Gore.

Denver, Colo., Aug. 24.—George Dixon and Abe Attell, of San Francisco, fought ten rounds to a draw at Coliseum hall here last night. It was principally a sparring contest.

King Edward and the Car to Meet.

London, Aug. 24.—It is understood that the forthcoming meeting between King Edward and Emperor Nicholas will occur in Fredensborg, Denmark.

NEWS FACTS IN OUTLINE

The members of the New York Stock Exchange have petitioned the governors to close the exchange on Labor day.

The Marquis Ito has abandoned his proposed American tour.

The Pittsburg base ball club, which now leads in the National League race, has signed all of its players for next season.

Senator Fairbanks, of Indiana, was at Chicago yesterday, registering at the Auditorium.

It is now reported that President Castro, of Venezuela, has sent forces to aid the Colombian revolutionists.

The tenth annual session of the Concatenated Order of Hoo Hoos has been called to meet at Norfolk, Va., on Sept. 9.

George Keenan, whose strictures upon Russia led to his expulsion from that country, has arrived at Boston.

The American Bar association has closed its annual convention at Denver. U. M. Rose, of Little Rock, was elected president.

Charles W. Nordstrom was hanged at Seattle, Wash., yesterday. He was a cowardly assassin, but it took that state ten years to hang him.

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\$1.50 for the Renowned Lady Elgin Shoes for Women in all sizes worth \$2.25.
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RAILROAD NOTES.

Items of Interest Along the Great Steel Highways.

D. M. Swobe, traveling passenger agent for the Union Pacific, was here yesterday from Chicago.

John Gleason goes to Nachusa tonight to take the place of Operator King, who has a few days vacation.

A solid trainload of coffee passed through Dixon Thursday enroute for the Barton & Gallagher Co. of Omaha, the distributors.

For the Modern Woodmen picnic and campfire at Malta on August 28-29, the Northwestern will give a round trip rate of a fare and one third.

Jerry Maloney, fireman of the Northwestern yard engine, has gone to his home at Clinton, Iowa, being quite ill. His place has been taken by John Benjamin, a West Chicago fireman.

G. Schuman, operator at East Clinton went to Chicago yesterday afternoon to take a trick in the electric interlocking tower at Wells street. Oliver Schultz of Clinton has accepted the position of night operator at East Clinton.

The Northwestern officials have issued an order for trainmen to return to the company all buttons from uniforms furnished by the company. The buttons are sent to the factory where they are recovered.

The Chicago & Northwestern is now selling 15-day limit tickets to Buffalo, N. Y., for one fare, plus \$1 for the round trip. They are also making a rate of one and one-third fare for the round trip for a 20-day stop-over.

F. W. Shapper, soliciting freight and passenger agent for the Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis railroad; W. F. Boyle, passenger agent for the Santa Fe, and R. V. Holder, traveling freight agent for the Northwestern, were here yesterday.

An experiment is being made on the Iowa division of the Northwestern road with one of the patent Universal car journal oilers. The oiler is on car No. 99, where it is being thoroughly tested. It is claimed that it is a perfect self oiler and operates so successfully that hot boxes are impossible on cars equipped with the new oiler.

Another heavy test of the respective merits of English and American locomotives on the railroad at Kingston, Jamaica, has resulted in a great victory for the latter, which drew 126 tons over the heaviest part of the line in seven minutes under the schedule time. The English locomotive completely failed to pull the same load, and, when materially lightened, failed to make even regular time.

None so Blind as Those Who Wish to Be.

The pitiful looking blind woman who ground a hand organ on our streets yesterday may not have been as blind as she appeared to be. The Sterling Standard says that she played a clever ruse upon the people of that unsuspecting town, for it has since been learned that she is not blind. She played her organ around town until people paid her to move on. She gathered in many nickels and dimes in this way. After she worked the town to a finish she reported that she and her little girl were going to walk to Dixon and they inquired the distance. Towards evening they walked slowly east. When near Broadway the woman caught sight of her husband who was waiting in a closed rig. The little girl ran on ahead and the woman hurriedly pushed the hand organ. She assisted her husband to lift it in the carriage and both she and the little girl got in the rig and started off east.

Unknown Man Dying From Railroad Accident.

Bellmont, Wabash Co., Ill. Aug. 23. Unknown man, between 35-40 years of age; height about 5ft 8 in, sandy mustach and hair, blue eyes, high forehead and weighs about 140 pounds was found here on the railroad track last Saturday evening about 10 o'clock unconscious. He wore a white straw hat with black band with the word Sam, written in crown; dark blue frock suit coat.

Answer by message, he is now dying.
JOHN E. SHAFER.

C. & N. W. Train to Joliet

To the Knights of the Globe convention in Joliet Wednesday, Aug. 28 the C. & N. W. R'y Company will run a special train. Round trip \$2. Leave Dixon 6:25 a. m. arriving there at 9:55 in ample time to visit States Prison, which opens to visitors at 10 a. m.

LA SALLE CITY CLERK SHORT.

\$4,000 in Water Works Accounts With Prospect of Like Amount Elsewhere.

Auditor Hart has been investigating the condition of the accounts of ex-City Clerk A. C. Finkler of LaSalle with the result that a big shortage is uncovered. Finkler has held the office for ten years previous to his defeat last spring and his books have not been audited since 1895. The investigation shows a shortage of \$4,000 in the water works accounts alone.

In addition to this the La Salle Tribune says: Then there are the amounts received from railroad companies which do not appear to have been entered in the regular manner, in fact it is reported that no accounts whatever were kept with the railroads. The waterworks revenue from this source is quite large, probably \$500 a year, so that if these companies have paid for the water they used, there will be an additional shortage from this source of \$3000 for the six years.

An alderman who is prominent in the city's affairs, said this morning: "The accounts are in awful shape and I should not be surprised if Mr. Hart finds a shortage of \$8000 before he gets through with his investigations."

THE OLD SEVENTY-FIFTH.

Regiment Will Hold Reunion at Polo on Sept. 18 and 19.

There will be a reunion of the surviving members of the Seventy-fifth Illinois infantry at Polo on Sept. 18 and 19. Every member of the regiment is earnestly requested to be present. Companies A, E and F of this regiment were principally from Lee county, companies B, C, D, H, and I from Whiteside, G from Ogle and K from Stark. This regiment was mustered into service at Dixon, Sept. 2, 1861, with Dr. George Ryan as Colonel, John E. Bennett of Morrison as Lieut. Colonel and Wm. M. Kilgour of Sterling as Major. It remained at camp until Sept. 27, 1862, when it was ordered south, crossing the Ohio river on Sept. 30, and having been assigned to the ninth division of the third army corps of the army of the Ohio, was engaged in the battle of Perryville, Oct. 8, 1862, under the command of Lieut. Col. Bennett. In this engagement the regiment suffered severely.

Whiteside Old Settlers Meet.

A crowd of between 5,000 and 6,000 people gathered at the picnic grounds across the river from Lyndon Thursday to attend the re-union of the old settlers of Whiteside county.

While apparently there were few old people in the crowd, one man counted 300 people who were past seventy, and there were four who were past ninety. The oldest settler there was Mr. Bluer from Gardenplain, who is 94 years of age. He is the oldest settler in that part of the county.

Rev. Mr. Malone of Anawan, Ill., made an excellent address to the old people. He spoke of the people of this nation owing their own schools, factories and their own great buildings and said that was the reason why we are such a great people. Andrew Seeley of Prophetstown gave a few reminiscences. Sol. Seeley of Sterling told how, when a young man, he carried the mail on horseback from Portland to Dixon in the winter, barefooted. Often he has been compelled to get off the horse and step on the ice when crossing the river.

Arrangements were made to hold a picnic at the same place next year. Officers were elected as follows: President, M. V. Seeley, Prophetstown. Secretary, Andrew J. Seeley, Prophetstown.

Executive committee, F. N. Brewer, Tampico, George Potter, Denrock, and Lewis Ewing, Lyndon.

A. E. Parmeter of Lyndon was elected a member of the program committee to take the place of R. M. Compton, deceased.

McGrath Bros. Sell Their Woosung Store.

McGrath Brothers have sold their general merchandise store at Woosung to W. D. Chase & Co. after conducting it for the past ten years. Philip and Edward McGrath have built up a good business and earned a large patronage which the new firm will undoubtedly hold. W. D. Chase & Co. now own and manage the elevator, a coal yard and the general store at Woosung. McGrath Bros. have not announced their future plans.

A High Day in Israel.

The services at the West Side Congregational church corner of Fourth and Van Buren avenue will be of special interest tomorrow, 10 a. m. Sunday school, 11 a. m. reception of members and administration of Lords Supper. 7:45 p. m. lecture on Andersonville by Dr. J. H. Wilson. After serving 10 months in their prison pen the Dr. ought to be able to tell the facts. He speaks only of the bright side.

LAST CALL.

All Summer Goods must go Regardless of Value. WE NEED ROOM as new Fall Goods are arriving daily.

27 Ladies' Shirt Waists, stiff cuffs, was \$1.00, now.....25c
35 Ladies' Soft Cuff Precise Shirt Waists, was \$1.00 and \$1.25, now.....49c
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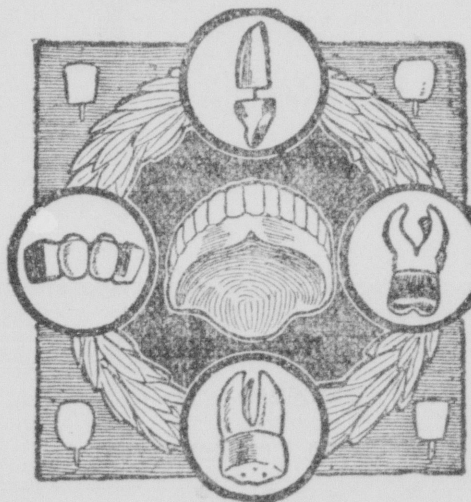
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DURAND POSTMASTER SHORT

Is Arrested by Inspector Henry D. Dement.

Henry Harris, postmaster at Durand Ill., and one of the best known residents of Winnebago county, was arrested yesterday by United States Postoffice Inspector Henry D. Dement on the charge of a shortage in his accounts. It is said the total amount is \$1200. He was taken to Chicago and will probably not have a hearing until the first of next week.

Harris is an old resident of Winnebago county and has been prominent in local political circles for years. He served as postmaster at Durand under President Harrison's administration, and was reappointed under President McKinley in response to a general demand.

When arrested he refused to make any statement in defense of himself or in explanation of his shortage. It is believed that laxness in keeping his accounts is responsible for his financial troubles.

NEW DIVINE HEALER FOUND.

Bernhardt Wourth, Uncouth German Farmer, Stirs Rock Falls.

A special to the Rockford Register-Gazette of yesterday says:

ROCK FALLS, Aug. 22.—This part of the country is excited over the discovery that an uncouth, unlearned German farmer named Bernhardt Wourth has the power to heal by simply laying his hands on the afflicted ones and muttering a few mysterious words.

Wourth lives in a small cabin in a secluded part of a swamp south of here which is a Mecca for hundreds of sick pilgrims, and his appearance in this city has at times almost stopped business. He discovered his power by accidentally placing his hands on a sick child's head.

He is already hailed as a divine healer and a new sect is rapidly building up around him.

Wourth absolutely refuses pay for his services.

MAY RESUME MILK TRAIN.

Dixon Company Talking of Taking Milk From Farmers Here Again.

Sterling Standard: There is considerable talk of the Dixon milk factory starting a milk train from this city November 1. The farmers, notwithstanding the fact that the factory took off the train last spring just when they were getting the most milk, say they would sell to the Dixon factory if they were paid a high enough price. George Keefer was seen today in regard to the matter. He says there is a probability of the train starting but he is not certain if he would accept the position of manager here if he were given the chance.

Labor Day Events.

The athletic program for Labor Day at Sterling has been made out by the committee and shows a good variety of sports. The events and their time are as follows:

9 a. m.—Bicycle race. Third street Sterling; 1 mile handicap. Sixth avenue to Avenue B; 2.5 mile handicap. Third avenue to Avenue B.

10 a. m.—Baseball in Rock Falls, Rock Falls vs. Morrison.

1 p. m.—Parade.

3 p. m.—Baseball in Sterling, Dixon vs. Sterling.

5 p. m.—Bicycle races, Rock Falls, 1 mile handicap; 2 miles handicap.

6 p. m.—River sports and swimming races above C. B. & Q. bridge.

Chickens.

D. W. Tobey, general manager of the Legg poultry houses, went to Franklin Grove to make arrangements to start a house there. He will start a house in Dixon and Morrison. There will be then eight Legg poultry houses in this section of the country. The chickens bought at Franklin Grove and Dixon will be shipped to Sterling to be picked.

Will Be Kept Busy.

Rev. E. B. Stevenson of Cedar Rapids, Ia., is in the city. Tomorrow he will speak at the Presbyterian church at 10:30 a. m., at the Sugar Grove church at 2:30 p. m. and at the Lutheran church at 7:30 p. m.

Will Be a Judge.

County Superintendent I. F. Edwards of Dixon will be one of the judges in the oratorical contest at the Northwestern fair at Sterling on Wednesday August 28th.

Will Teach Fall Term.

Miss Katie Haley went to Ashton today, and on Monday will commence the fall term of school in the Miller and Saltzman district, six miles south-east of Ashton.

To Lake Geneva.

On Wednesday, Sept. 4, the last excursion for this season to Lake Geneva over the C. & N. W. will be given. Tickets \$1.25.

CAMP MEETING ECHOES.

At the Franklin Grove Camp Grounds.

Saturday is Epworth League Day here and large numbers of young people are on the grounds.

The early morning prayer meeting at 6 o'clock in Hitchcock chapel was led by Messrs. Kauffman of the Wesley Praying Band and A. J. Nickey of Ashton.

Rev. I. Honeywell, the pastor at Ashton and Franklin Grove, preached Saturday forenoon. He is one of the most earnest Christian workers on the grounds.

The question has often been asked where did the evangelist, Dr. Elwood J. Bulgin, receive his training to fit him for his wonderful work.

He answered it during his sermon Friday evening when the central tabernacle was packed to hear his message of Christ's love for services.

He said: "I was brought up and educated in the school of poverty; never had a pair of shoes until I was twelve years old. If I was to go to my old North Carolina home in the Blue Ridge mountains I would eat supper cooked in a fire place with an old fashioned crane, in an old fashioned kitchen. Ten of my brothers and relatives were converted when my mother died. She was a loyal christian. I knew poverty well. I studied hard. I was a struggling lawyer in Missouri for several years."

Evangelist Ryerson and his praying band from Chicago will arrive on the grounds today. Mr. Kaufman, one of the band, sings one of his songs, Sinai, Calvary or Mt. of Olives, at the services today.

Rev. W. H. Pierce of Rock Falls delivers the annual anniversary sermon to the Epworth Leaguers.

The attendance is increasing as the meeting draws to a close. The finances of the association will enable them to build the woman's dormitory and new chapel planned last year.

VERNON ALLEN.

Aged Amboy Lady Dead.

Mrs. Catherine Pannenbecker died yesterday morning, Aug. 23rd, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Chauncey Shaw, of Amboy, aged 67 years. Her maiden name was Miss Catherine Kesken and she was born in Seiburg, Germany, September 11, 1833. She came to America in 1856, coming directly to Amboy, where she has lived ever since. In the same year she was married to Joseph Pannenbecker, who died in July, 1890. To them were born five children, of whom only three, Joseph and Henry Pannenbecker, traveling men, and Mrs. Clara Shaw of Amboy, survive her. There is also one sister, Mrs. Mary Weintz of Chicago. As Mrs. Pannenbecker has lived in Amboy for forty-five years, she is well-known throughout the county and owing to her pleasant ways and noble character, she has many friends who will grieve on hearing of her death. The funeral will occur Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock at the high mass in the Catholic church, Rev. Father Gallagher officiating and the interment will be at the Rockford cemetery.

Excursion for All.

The Knights of the Globe of Dixon will run a special train over the I. C. and C. R. I. & P. R. R. to Joliet Wednesday, August 28.

This is the official route from Dixon, a beautiful ride along the Illinois river and the old Illinois canal and other fine scenery, passing through LaSalle, Ottawa, Marseilles and Morris, all manufacturing towns of note. Go with the crowd and the Henderson Shoe Factory Band. Five cars, including a baggage car, will be furnished with plenty of ice water enroute. Go and see the greatest penitentiary, the most beautiful parks, the wonderful bear trap dam on the Chicago drainage canal, the great steel rolling mill, the big parade of the Knights of the Globe on their 12th anniversary and many other interesting sights.

—Miss Lily Saltzman of Bloomington is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Martin for a few days.

—The Plymouth Clothing and Shoe House has another interesting price list folded in tonight's paper.

—Mrs. Patrick Drew returned to Milwaukee today after a visit at the Thomas Drew home in this city.

—Miss Rebecca Smucker of the I. B. Countryman dry goods department is back from a two weeks' vacation.

—A. Leland and L. H. Martin and Misses Lottie Leland and Joe Elliott enjoyed a boat ride and supper up the river yesterday.

—Miss Bess Holsington came out from Chicago last evening to attend the funeral of her grandmother, Mrs. Elizabeth W. Stackpole.

—General Secretary Herbert Martin of the Kankakee Y. M. C. A. is here on a visit at the home of his mother, Mrs. M. Martin, for a week.

Reserved Seat Sale.

Opens tonight at Todd's store for "The Convict's Daughter."

Sunday at the Churches.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN.

Rev. T. F. Dornblaser, D. D., Pastor of St. Paul's—corner of Second street and Hennepin avenue. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. D. F. Greenawalt, superintendent. Morning service and sermon at 11 a. m. Subject "Rest." Christian Endeavor 6:30. Evening services will be resumed, the address at 7:30 being by Rev. E. B. Stevenson, assistant superintendent of the Northwestern Sunday School Union. Theme, "The Sunday School in Our National Life."

PRESBYTERIAN.

East Third street. Rev. S. S. Cryor, D. D., pastor. Stone church opposite court house. Morning service at 10:30. Sabbath School at 12 o'clock. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. E. B. Stevenson of Cedar Rapids Iowa, Assistant Superintendent of the the American Sunday School Union for the Northwest will occupy the pulpit for the morning service. No evening service.

GRACE EVANGELICAL.

Grace Evangelical church, J. G. Finkbeiner, pastor. Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school 10 a. m. and K. L. C. E. at 6:30 p. m. Rev. W. C. Seidel of Sterling will preach morning and evening. Themes: "The Marvel of Ages as Wrought out by Christ for Men" and "The Purifying Power of the Blessed Hope."

CHURCH OF CHRIST.

First street and Madison avenue. Rev. Finis Idleman, pastor. Preaching service at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:45. Y. P. S. C. E. 6:30 p. m. Themes: What of the cry "Back to Christ?" "What and Where is the Judgment?"

THE LIBERAL CHURCH.

The Universalist church. Rev. Joseph F. Newton will preach. Service in the evening at 7:45 o'clock. Subject: "What is Religion?" The Harmony Male Quartette will sing at the evening service.

BAPTIST.

Rev. William C. Spencer, Pastor. Church services at 10:30 a. m., Sunday School begins at 12 p. m. The B. Y. P. U. meet at 6:30 p. m. Prof. Towel will speak in the morning. No evening service.

Y. M. C. A.

Corner First street and Ottawa avenue. F. M. Smith, general secretary. Sunday afternoon Men's meeting at 3 o'clock. Tomorrow Rev. W. C. Seidel of Sterling will speak. Good music. Come.

EMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH.

Highland avenue and Sixth street. Rev. Henry F. Schmidt, Pastor. Sunday school every Sunday, at 9:30 a. m. The services tomorrow will be held at Assembly Park.

METHODIST CHURCH.

W. A. Phillips, D. D., Pastor. No morning nor evening service.

Dixon Opera House.

The powerful melodrama "The Convict's Daughter" will be presented at the Dixon Opera House, Tuesday, Aug. 27th; this play is considered to be a master piece. It has been said that the perfection of art is the concealment of art. This may apply to "The Convict's Daughter" for with consummate skill.

The author has so woven his story and represented the scenes that the audience seem to gain the impression that they are living for the time amidst the incidents so graphically portrayed. The play sways and plays upon the sympathies of the audience and no dramatic composition has ever done before. Full of deep human interest, it presents a story never to be forgotten. Reserved seat sale opens tonight, Todd's store.

—E. R. Lehman was a visitor from Franklin Grove today.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Roe will spend tomorrow at Franklin Grove.

—New phones on the county line through Palmyra are: Blinn Smith, C. H. Russell, E. Boede, Nelson Kidder, Irvin Kidder, Chas. Park, Frank Scholl, Ben Gilbert.

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"For me—what?" she inquired calmly.

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LABOR CHIEFS CONFER

Report That a Proposition Has Been Sent to the Steel Magnates' Headquarters.

JOHN MITCHELL IS ONE CONFERRER

Trust Seems to Have Determined on a Finish Fight, However—Opposing Claims.

Pittsburg, Aug. 24.—The conference of the labor leaders at the offices of the Amalgamated Association yesterday was the leading feature of the strike during the day. The officials of the organization all seemed pleased with the way things were moving, and one of them said somewhat mysteriously: "In another six days you will see a decided change in the strike that will tell with greater effect on the trust and aid in hurrying the final outcome of this struggle." Just what this change is to be was not said, but it was inferred strongly that the coming event hinged upon the conference that was taking place. Two sessions were held by the conferees behind closed doors.

Men Who Were in Conference.

After the adjournment of the first session none of the participants would give out any information of the proceedings, further than to say that the leaders had been called together for the purpose of having the situation thoroughly explained to them, and to have some action taken looking to the aid of the strikers, orally and financially by all of the organizations represented. There were present at the conference besides the Amalgamated officials, John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers; J. W. Jenks, member of the Industrial commission; Ralph M. Easley, secretary of the National Civic Federation, and Henry M. White, general secretary of the United Garment Workers. The conference ended last night about 9 o'clock, and the conferees left for their homes.

Says the Conference Just Happened.

When President Shaffer was seen at his home last night he said in reference to the day's meeting that it was not a preconceived one, but just happened. President Mitchell, he said, had telegraphed him that he would like to see him on his way home from the eastern coal fields, and soon after his arrival the other gentlemen made their appearance. During the meeting, however, the whole strike situation was discussed. There was nothing of importance accomplished. Shaffer said no arrangement had been made to submit a new peace proposition to the corporation or a further proposal for arbitration; adding, however, that he did not know what individual action the conferees might take in the future. No mention was made of the miners or other trades taking sympathetic action.

Will Jenks Take "Individual Action"?

Appropos of Shaffer's remarks about "individual action," The Leader says that Professor J. W. Jenks proposed that some interested person should convey to C. M. Schwab, president of the steel corporation, the information that a settlement might be effected providing that the Amalgamated Association officials should sign the wage agreement for the mills they controlled last year; the mills that have been organized since the Milwaukee convention to be operated on a provisional scale; those that are fully organized to ask for the Amalgamated wage scale and conditions; those that desire to stay out of the organization to have the privilege of doing so. Professor Jenks will go east today and will use his own time to see President Schwab.

SUMMARY OF THE SITUATION

Conditions in the Towns Where the Fight Is Most Vigorous.

Pittsburg, Aug. 24.—A summary of the steel strike situation shows about the following conditions:

This city: Star mill—Two mills running; strikers say five more men left the plant and joined their ranks, but management positively denies the statement. Painter mill—Four mills running; fires lighted in bar mill furnaces, but failed to start as expected. Pennsylvania Tube works—Mill idle; machinists say they will quit. All Carnegie mills running full.

McKeesport: Demmeler plant idle, and no attempt will be made to start it before next week. Everything else closed down.

Ironclad: Mill running with same force as Thursday, making two turns, and assurance from the manager that more men will be added today.

Wellsville: Situation unchanged; twelve mills running.

Lisbon: Fires started in tinplate plant. Manager George Evans says everything is in readiness for a start soon with plenty of men. Strikers voted to remain out, and mill is strongly picketed.

Wheeling: Everything tied up, and no apparent indication of an attempt to start any of the mills.

Bellair: The National Steel company's idle plant will, it is said, be started early next week by a full force of men.

No late advices have been received by the Amalgamated officials from either Bay View or Joliet, and the situation at those points is considered by them to be unchanged.

The strikers make the claim that very little actual work has been done by the combine in any of its plants since the strike began, and that what product has been turned out has been of an inferior character. Notwithstanding this the steel officials declare themselves well pleased with the condition of affairs, and say all the mills started are working satisfactorily and turning out good product. The postponement of the attempt to start the Demmeler plant of the American Tinplate company until next week, the officials of the company say, was for the purpose of putting the plant in perfect order before the men started to work. They say plenty of men will be on hand when the time comes to operate the plant.

Attention was called to a former statement made by the officials of the corporation, that while delays would

necessarily occur in operating the idle plants it would not deter the officials from proceeding along the same lines, and that they were prepared to spend all the time and money necessary to fight the union and make all of the plants non-union in the end.

NO HELP FROM THE ENGINEERS

Chief Arthur Says They Must Keep Their Contracts—Other News.

Pittsburg, Aug. 24.—An interesting rumor reported from New York yesterday was that circular letters had been sent to all of the presidents of labor unions by the Amalgamated Association, asking what each would or could do to assist the steel workers in their strike. One of the replies which it is said was received was from P. M. Arthur, head of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. It is alleged that in this reply President Arthur said that his organization here contracts with the various railroads. That they also were bound to move the United States mail. That the organization could make no distinction between the United States Steel Corporation and individual shippers.

The strikers claim to have induced eleven men to desert from the Star plant. Superintendent Piper admits the loss of seven men, but says he still has 100 at work and can get more as he needs them.

A dispatch from Wheeling says: "The first indications of the forthcoming effort of the National Tube company to break the strike at its Riverside plant developed last night when the Amalgamated leaders discovered a number of strange Slavs quartered at a place in Lower Benwood, known as the 'brick row.' An investigation is now being made. It also develops that a number of Benwood Slavs, until recently employed at the Riversides, were induced to agree to go to Pittsburg as strike-breakers. When about to leave for Pittsburg yesterday they were met by Amalgamated men and induced to reconsider."

CHICAGO STRIKERS ENJOINED

"Pickets" Not Allowed—Davis and the South Chicago Men.

Chicago, Aug. 24.—The Allis-Chalmers company secured an injunction from Judge Kohlsaat in the United States circuit court, restraining the striking iron molders and machinists from picketing any of the plants of the company and from intimidating or showing violence toward any of the non-union workmen who were filling their places. The injunction is broad in its terms, and affects by name a large number of the strikers. Eight lodges of machinists and molders, and all their officers, are expressly named, and in addition forty-five members of the unions are ordered to obey the injunction.

Arrangements for a mass meeting of South Chicago iron workers tomorrow afternoon were made by Vice President W. C. Davis, of the Amalgamated Association, yesterday. Assistant Secretary Tighe and Trustee Morgan are coming from Pittsburg to make speeches and explain the character of the strike. After the mass meeting there will be a secret meeting of steel workers, but Vice President Davis has little hope that any action looking to a strike will be taken.

Printers Vote Strike Benefits.

Sioux Falls, S. D., Aug. 24.—The typographical and pressmen's unions voted strike benefits for the Amalgamated yesterday. Other unions will follow.

MIDDLE-OF-THE-ROAD POPULIST

Hold a State Convention in Iowa and Nominate a Ticket.

Des Moines, Ia., Aug. 24.—About a score of the faithful of the Middle-of-the-Road Populist persuasion assembled in state convention here yesterday and nominated the following ticket: Governor, L. H. Weller, Nashua; lieutenant governor, Perry Engle, Newton; supreme judge, J. R. McDonald, Des Moines; railway commissioner, Luke McDowell, Shelby county; state superintendent of public instruction, J. C. Harland, Woodbury county. All the nominations were by acclamation.

The resolutions adopted indorse the Omaha national platform, denounce trusts and political rings, and demand the cessation of grants of public franchises to private corporations; extend sympathy to the Boers, indorse direct legislation, demand equal taxation, and favor state printing and binding under state supervision. All Reed, of Sioux City, was elected chairman of the state central committee.

Jo A. Parker, of Louisville, national chairman, delivered an address, predicting that the Democrats will drop the silver question in 1904, as well as other Populist doctrines, and that the movement for an independent third party, embracing those principles will be overwhelming in the nation.

Fatal Head-End Collision.

Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 24.—A head-end collision on the River line of the Rapid Transit company late yesterday afternoon killed one man and injured seventeen people, three of them seriously. The dead man is Harry Williams, and those seriously injured are Mrs. Weaver, probably fatally; Mrs. John M. Williams, Riverside, seriously, and C. C. Williams, thigh broken. All of the injured are supposed to be from Atlanta.

Lincoln Will Not Change His Home.

Lincoln, Neb., Aug. 24.—The rumor that W. J. Bryan will soon move to Chicago to make it his home is without foundation. Bryan is out of the city, but his report was news to him, and he was satisfied there was no truth in it whatever. He said W. J. Bryan would continue to live in Lincoln and publish his paper here.

After an Alabama Mob in Earnest.

Wetumpka, Ala., Aug. 24.—A special grand jury is in session here to investigate the lynching of Robert White, a negro, a month ago. Clop Tantor, Bigant Nails and S. F. Pittman, the bailiffs who had White in charge when he was taken by the mob, have been remanded to jail for refusing to testify before the grand jury.

Senator Lodge in Russia.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 24.—Senator Lodge, of Massachusetts, and his family have arrived here after a brief visit to Moscow and Warsaw.

A Lucky Imitation.

Marshal Gourko, the famous Russian general, was a terrible autocrat. On one occasion an impersonator of celebrated men was performing at a theater in Odessa. One evening he received a mysterious message, which read: "Study General Gourko." In Russia it is better not to inquire into matters that one does not understand, and so the artist spent an hour in privately impersonating the autocratic Russian. Just as the evening performance was about to commence an order of arrest signed by Gourko was presented to the impersonator, and without explanation he was led through the streets to the marshal's palace and into an apartment where the terrible man was seated. "They tell me that you impersonate celebrated men," he roared. "Impersonate me!"

Giving a hasty look at Gourko, the performer turned to the mirror to "make up." It was an anxious time, for if the marshal should take exception to the representation he had unlimited power to inflict punishment. The impersonator dragged himself together and turned to the marshal a copy of his own face and overbearing manner. Gourko burst into a roar of laughter, and the dangerous moment was over.

When the World Will Be Full.

If we apply to the future growth of the world's population the rate of increase that obtained during the nineteenth century—one person per hundred per year—we obtain the following forecast:

Millions of persons.	No. of persons to one square mile.
1,000.....	1,600 or.....
2,000.....	4,238 or.....
3,000.....	11,706 or.....
4,000.....	31,662 or.....
5,000.....	82,073 or.....

As there are 52,000,000 square miles of land on the earth, and as we are to consider 1,000 persons to each square mile as the equivalent of the world's being full, it follows that we want a world population of 52,000,000,000 of persons to fulfill this condition.

A glance at the above statement of growth in the world's population shows that the necessary growth from 1,000,000,000 in the year 1900 to the 52,000,000,000 of persons wanted for our purpose will eventuate in the year 2250, almost 350 years ahead of the present time, when, as the illustration suggests, it may be necessary to hang out a notice to the effect that the world is full to the utmost limit.—Cosmopolitan.

Eating a Living Ox.

Only the very few among us run any risk, in the course of our peregrinations and vicissitudes, of being invited to such objectionable dinners as it was the lot of Bruce, the explorer, to eat. Such very nasty feeders as the Abyssinians of his day are becoming extinct. Fancy sitting down to table and seeing the meat walk alive into the room! That was their custom. And they ate it alive, too, the brutes!

The wretched ox was tied fast, head and legs, and then, by a delicate incision on both sides of the backbone, near the haunches, the attendants were able to strip its skin away, to enable them to cut slices from the poor animal again and again without touching an artery. The guests ate the meat raw and quivering to the music of the roars and bellowing of pain of the ox of which it was a part.

This is hideous, and even the least particular of men may be excused for shirking an experience of the kind.

A Bird With Four Feet.

This little creature, still to be found in South America, is a relic of bygone ages. It is known as the crested hoatzin, and the adult bird is about as big as a peacock.

The young birds, when hatched, have four legs, the front pair being reptilian in character, and have strong claws. As they grow older these claws fall off, the legs become fattened, feathers grow on them, and they develop into wings.

These nestlings are the nearest approach to a reptile that can be found among birds, and they can climb and dive and swim with great facility.

Crushing a Lawyer.

De Wolfe Hopper was once a witness in a suit for slander, and the opposing counsel in the courtroom said: "You are an actor, I believe?" "Yes," replied Hopper.

"Is not that a low calling?" "I don't know, but it's so much better than my father's that I am rather proud of it."

"What was your father's calling, may I ask?"

"He was a lawyer," said Hopper.

A Song Inspiration.

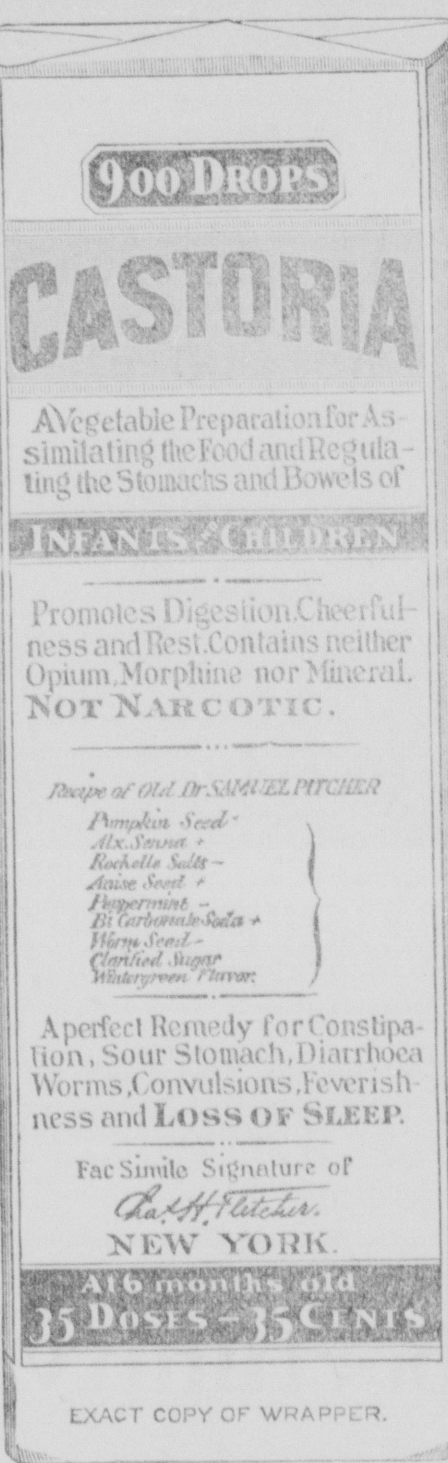
Chambers' Journal says the inspiration for Milton Wellings' song "Some Day" came to him while he was waiting in an agony of suspense to hear from his wife, rumor having arisen of an accident to a yachting party of which she was a member. Nervously opening a book, his eyes fell on the line, "Or are you dead or that you live," which line he incorporated in his song.

Celluloid.

The base of celluloid is common paper. By action of sulphuric and nitric acids it is changed to gun cotton, then dried, ground and mixed with from 20 to 40 per cent of camphor, after which it is ground fine, colored with powder colors, cast in sheets, pressed very hard and at last baked between sets of superheated rollers.

South America.

Competent authorities assert that South America has greater undeveloped resources than any other portion of the world. Any crop grown elsewhere can be duplicated there, and the country abounds in mines of coal, silver and gold, most of which have been only slightly developed.



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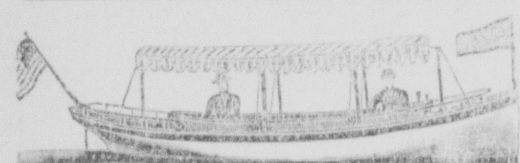
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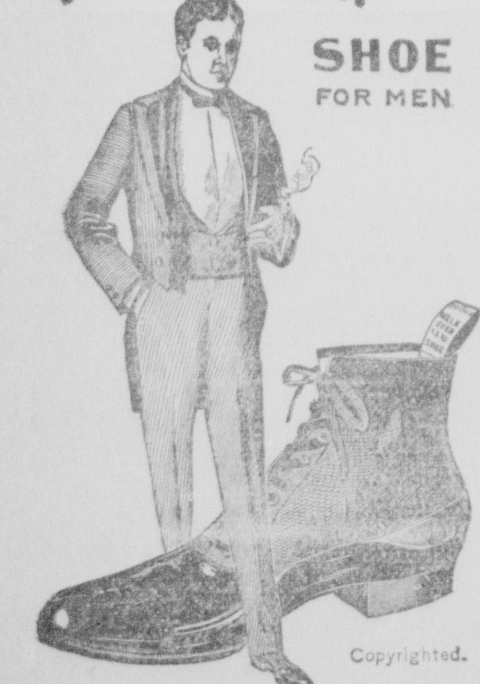
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—Frank Bennett of the Bend is quite ill.

—Company G dance tonight at the Armory.

—Mrs. Linda Zarger of Nachusa was here today.

—R. F. Yates goes to Omaha Monday on business.

—Wm. Miller of Franklin Grove was here today.

—Mrs. S. E. Longdon spent yesterday in Chicago.

—Chas. Huguet drove to Prophetstown yesterday.

—Clarence Brown and wife of Sterling are in our city.

—Elmer Myers was in Franklin Grove yesterday on business.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mathias of Waukegan were here yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Strock were here from Polo Thursday night.

—Rev. W. A. Phillips spent the day at the Franklin Grove camp meeting.

—James Friendship has accepted a position in the Freeport Shoe Mfg. Co.

—Bert Thompson of Plainfield, Ia., is here for a week's visit with relatives.

—Harry Ranner of Polo was here Thursday evening to attend the band concert.

—Miss Alice Lebre went to Chicago today to spend several weeks with relatives.

—Byron E. Eastwood leaves today for a few days visit at his home in Monticello, Iowa.

—There will be preaching in Miller's Hall Sunday at 10:30 a. m. by S. J. Lindsay of Oregon.

—John Millard & Rockford had of 11 years had a leg taken off Thursday by a C. & N. W. train.

—Mrs. C. F. Emerson of West Third street is home from a summer's visit in the New England states.

—Manley D. Barber and sons, Guy and Wend, were here from DeKalb yesterday on a pleasure trip.

—Mrs. Louis Stephan of Dementtown goes to Franklin Grove tonight to spend Sunday with relatives.

—Foundations have been completed for a new house south of Frank Preston's greenhouses for Fred Fargo.

Read the first installment of the story, "Not Like Other Men." Begin today and you will continue to the end.

—Miss Nellie Vandemark, who has been a guest of Mrs. Ed Burdick, leaves for her home in Sterling tonight.

—Miss Edna Woodruff went to Sterling today for a visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Long, for a week or more.

—Miss Alice Carver returned to Chicago yesterday after a visit with Dixon relatives and friends for the past two months.

—W. L. Frye and wife will move September 1 from the Schuler cottage on East Second street to their new house in North Dixon.

—Since the recent rains the late potatoes have begun blooming and if the season continues favorable there may yet be a crop of tubers.

—Advertisements change today are E. N. Howell Hardware Co.; O. H. Brown & Co.; Hoffman the Dry Goods Man; Edmund Neville.

—Captain Philip McGrath and wife of Waukegan are receiving congratulations over the arrival of a baby girl at their home yesterday.

—Granville S. Duntun, one of Lee county's early settlers was here from Viola, where he has a fine farm. He bears his three score and five years well.

—A case of smallpox has been found in Freeport. Charles Plowman is the afflicted one and it is not known how he contracted the disease. The case is quarantined.

—Miss Louise Woodford returned from the teachers institute at Amboy last evening and Monday will begin her duties at the Hillside school on the Daysville road.

—The Schuler building on First street occupied as a temporary court house will not be vacated September 1 as contemplated but will be occupied several weeks later.

—John McConkey, an inspector for the Central Union Telephone Co., went to Mendota today to install a farmers' line near that place. He has been in Dixon the past three weeks.

—The heavy movements of Michigan peaches has begun and prices for the best varieties are quoted in Chicago at 20 cents for one-fifth bushel basket, or 40 cents less a bushel than good potatoes.

—Mrs. James C. Jocelyn and daughter, Miss Bernice, of Kansas City, enroute home from a visit in Michigan, are expected here this evening to visit with friends. Mrs. Jocelyn will first visit with Mrs. E. E. Shaw while Miss Bernice will visit Miss Mary Chandler.

BUY AND SELL!

AND BUY AGAIN, AND PAY YOUR BILLS WHEN DUE.

But Don't Pass by These Local Ads. or You'll be Passed By Too.

"The Pixies" are coming, Opera House, Wednesday evening, Sept. 4, 200 in the cast. 241tf

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Dixon Opera House
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When you buy your fruit of Bowser you know that you buy at the right price. He is the largest direct receiver in Dixon. 173tf.

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Elias Kopelowitz will, for the next four weeks, be at Hotel Bishop. He will call at your house to show samples for coverings for umbrellas and parasols. Have your ready. 2446*

SEE! —
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106 First St.,
First floor west of Downing's Grocery,
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Pretty music, graceful dances, beautiful tableaux, grotesque costumes—"The Pixies" Sept. 4. 244tf

NOTICE!
All the store keepers of Dixon have agreed to close their places of business and keep them closed, at 6 o'clock on Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings of each week, and all day Sundays.

ROY BRIDGES, President
of Clerk's Association. 229a74tf

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Made from New York State grapes and the best sugars is Sweet Concord Port Wine, 2 years old. Delivered to any part of the city. Telephone Co. Line. Thomas Roberts, 515 Hennepin avenue. 180tf

STEAMBOAT EXCURSIONS.
The steamer Dixon Belle is at the service of the public and prepared to take parties up the river at any time. We can accommodate seventy-five people by using barge. Bell phone 385. 17943mos. RICHART & GRAYBILL.

PEACHES
Headquarters for them is at Bowser's 93 Hennepin avenue. 225tf

Central Illinois Holiness Association
Annual Camp Meeting.

To be held between Bloomington and Normal Aug. 23rd to September 1st. The Illinois Central will sell excursion tickets to Bloomington and Normal at one and one-third fare for the round trip, on August 23rd to Sept. first, inclusive, limited to return until Sept. 2nd inclusive.

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Every known Fabric which is used in the making of Good Clothing is represented in This Great Sale: namely, Worsteds, Serges, Cassimeres, Cheviots and Tweds. We must have more room and we are certain you will want the goods at the prices we are naming to move them.

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To Buy your Boys' School Suits at Unquestionably the Lowest Price Ever Named

We've a bigger stock of Boys' Suits than we should have at this time of the year. To reduce them we have reduced all our \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$4.50 Boys' Suits to this quick selling \$2.50

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Every age from 5 to 16 years is represented in this wonderful assortment; these suits are made from the very best Fabrics and cut in the latest style D. B. coat and knee pant. You positively save money to buy your boys' school suits now. Elegant assortment to choose from.

Boys' Long Pant Suits ages 13 to 19 years that sold at \$6.50 \$7.50 and \$8.50.....NOW \$4.95

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Men's Straw Hats 50c and 75c grade now selling at..... 35c

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We are constantly gratified at the expressions of admiration on behalf of our fine tune of pianos. They are all the musician can require and well deserve the good words of the purchaser. The Adam Schaaf, Chickering & Son, Everett and Harvard, with Plectrophone attachment. My terms can not be beat for cash or on time.

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